

El Monstruo de las Montañas Malbec Bonarda



Producer: Boutinot Argentina
Winemaker: Samantha Bailey and team
Country of Origin: Argentina
Region of Origin: Mendoza
Grapes: Malbec 80%, Bonarda 20%
ABV: 12.5%
Case Size: 6x75cl
Vintage: 2016
Suitable For: Vegetarians and Vegans
Closure Type: Screw Cap



The One-Liner

More of a tamed and gentle monster Malbec.

Tasting Note

The nose offers an appealing mix of spice, bramble fruit and follows on the palate with dark, damson and savoury overtones. It finishes smooth and rounded.

Producer Details

Boutinot has been working with growers in Argentina for over 15 years, constantly sourcing the best value from vintage to vintage. Winemaker Eric Monnin has been working tirelessly over the last few years to secure the best long term contracts for these important wines sourced from specific old vine estates in Mendoza. Recent vintages have really started to show the results of this long-term vision with regards to quality and value.

In The Vineyard

The Malbec grapes chosen for El Monstruo were sourced from carefully selected vineyards in the Mendoza region of Argentina. Bonarda adds a fruity freshness to the blend.

In The Winery

Vinified in stainless steel.

Awards & Press

2015 Vintage: IWSC 2016 - Bronze

2013 Vintage: Sommelier Wine Awards 2015 - Silver

2013 Vintage: 'Lovely berried nose leading to an inky, dark, brooding palate,' said team leader Jade Koch. 'Medium intensity of aromas of fresh red and black fruits,' noted Gareth Ferreira of Launceston Place, adding: 'Nice, well-rounded and balanced palate with herbal thyme notes and a decent finish.' Sommelier Wine Awards 2015, Judges Comments

Food Recommendations

Made to be enjoyed with friends - throw a steak on the BBQ and sit back with your mates with a glass of this wine.